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RE: Draft Final Site Assessment Screening Evaluation Report, Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, Rhode Island

The Office has received the Navy's response to comments dated 29 May 1997 on the Site Assessment Screening Evaluation Report for the Derecktor Shipyard Site, as well as, the draft final document for this site. This Office has reviewed these submittals and has determined that a number of the Office's concerns require additional attention. Per the Navy's suggestion, the Office is willing to meet to discuss these concerns. Accordingly, the Office will withhold additional correspondence with respect of these submittals until this meeting has taken place. If the Navy has any questions concerning the above, please contact this Office at (401) 277-2797.

Sincerely,

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